



NOVOSIBIRSK PG. 2



NN & IVANOVO PG. 3



ST. PETERSBURG PG. 4



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Next Trip: Uganda

"He that goeth forth and weepeth, bearing precious seed, shall doubtless come again with rejoicing, bringing his sheaves with him." Psalm 126:6 (KJV)

Pastor Robert Mponye of Mityana, Uganda, has invited Len Ministries to come to Kingdom Kids Church and assist with reaching his city for Christ. The team currently consists of Carla Bitancor, Marcia Showalter, and Rev. Len Showalter from America. Also coming are Pastor Guy Landry from Ivanovo, Russia, and Daniele Yetna from Douala, Cameroon.

The team will be hosting a 5-day evangelism school in English (& Swahili) for 20 to 30 pastors and lay leaders from Uganda and other nations. In addition to going to the streets for witnessing opportunities, the team will be working with children of a local orphanage, school students of all grades, and a Bible school.

If you would like to be a part of this adventure and have your own stories to tell, preparation must begin immediately as a VISA is needed, as well as immunizations for Uganda. Please contact Rev. Len Showalter at the ministry office at (904) 992-0545 to initiate the process.

The Lord has blessed Rev. Len Showalter and Len Ministries over the past 25 years of international travel. A celebration will be held in November in Jacksonville, FL (see ad below). Please consider joining us and hearing the ministry stories from Pastor Guy and Daniele Yetna and others. Register at www.lenministries.org/gala or contact the ministry office at (904) 992-0545.

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Come Celebrate
25 Years
of International Ministry With Us!

Friday, November 4, 2016:
 6-9 pm: **End Time Harvest Session 1**

Saturday, November 5, 2016:
 2-5 pm: **End Time Harvest Session 2**
 6-9 pm: **Silver Jubilee (Annual Gala)**

Hosted at the Salem Center
 7235 Bonneval Road, Jacksonville, FL 32256
 Limited seating, reservation required

30 Days in Russia

NOVOSIBIRSK: On Thursday, May 20, Rev. Len Showalter left Jacksonville, FL, at noon headed for Novosibirsk, Russia. Two overnight flights later, he arrived at 4 AM at the Nazareth Church. After a shower and a little rest he was the guest speaker at the church on Sunday. Despite some interpreter challenges the service went well.

On Monday, Len and Lena (the Evangelism Director for Ivanovo Christian Center who had joined Len in Moscow) began teaching a 5-day evangelism school to a total of 30 students (17 got saved on the first day). The weather was great with daytime highs in the 70's and nighttime lows in the 50's. This was great for witnessing in the streets and parks around Novosibirsk, a city of 3 million people, which is considered the capitol of Siberia.

The church had previously prepared 12 trainers to assist with the witnessing and teaching. The students were paired with the trainers and went to the streets on Tuesday, Wednesday, and twice on Thursday (once was without trainers present). The results were amazing with 495 people contacted, the Gospel was shared 226 times to 309 persons, and there were 133 professions and assurances of faith! (See Just the Facts on Pg. 6)

Some of Len's favorite times witnessing occurred in a park at the foot of the main bridge going into downtown Novosibirsk. He especially remembers sharing with 3 girls (pictured right) who

were later joined by 3 boys. Len had to separate the girls from the boys as there was too much distraction going on. Len allowed his 2 students to share with boys while he and his interpreter continued with the girls. Both sets of kids gave their hearts to Jesus!

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Nazareth Church



Len and 4 kids that professed



Len gives teams instruction



Pastor Yuri shares Jesus



2 lawn workers receive Christ



Novosibirsk students and trainers



Sharing on the street

30 Days in Russia (cont'd)

NIZHNIY NOVGOROD: On Saturday, Thursday, May 28, Len and Lena returned to Moscow. Lena headed back to Ivanovo while Len flew to Nizhniy Novgorod (NN). He met with Pastor Sasha, and his family, and many friends from 25 years ago when the church first started. On Sunday, Len preached in the Light of Christ's new church building.

IVANOVO: Tuesday, May 31, Len took a train to Ivanovo. And on Thursday, Marcia Showalter, Cathy Russi, and Dianne Briery arrived from Jacksonville, FL. In addition, Joel and Julia Reid (previously from NN) had joined the girls in New York for the trip over. Len and Pastor Guy Landry from Ivanovo Christian Center met the group with two cars. After a short walk through Red Square and a five hour drive, they returned to Ivanovo.

The celebration of 25 years of international ministry (see pg. 1) was held on Friday and Saturday. There were local area pastors, 7 pastors from Siberia, Bishop Andre from Yaroslavl, and many friends from NN that attended. Many great stories and testimonies were shared. Great fun was had by all.

Sunday, Len preached from Psalm 126:5 & 6. Many from the congregation responded

to be prayed for by the team with about 25 receiving salvation.

On Monday, June 6, the evangelism school began with 17 students. 8 got saved by the end of Len's first lesson. There were a total of 12 trainers, but due to a shortage of interpreters for the English speakers, only 11 teams went to the streets on Tuesday, Wednesday and twice on Thursday. The results were that 336 people were contacted, the Gospel was shared 133 times to 277 persons, and there were 150 professions and assurances of faith! (See Just the Facts on Pg. 6) The results include witnessing at a temporary facility for children from distressed family situations.

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American team at St. Basil



Sasha, Olga, Tamara, Sveta, & Julia



Temporary facility for children



African students receive Christ



Ivanovo students and trainers



2 sisters pray

30 Days in Russia (cont'd)

YAROSLAVL: On Saturday, June 11, Pastor Guy and the American team drove 2 hours to Yaroslavl to attend a Russian wedding. Several years ago, Len and Marcia met a wonderful young girl, Masha, that took the evangelism training and worked her way to the top leadership of Russian youth. She is very well known and her family provided a great wedding celebration for her on the bank of the Volga River despite the cold, windy, and rainy conditions.

Following the ceremony, Marcia, Cathy, and Dianne returned to Ivanovo, and then on Sunday to Moscow for the trip back to the USA. Len and Guy took an overnight train to St. Petersburg along with 5 volunteers from the Ivanovo area to help equip the church.

ST. PETERSBURG: The team of 7 arrived in time to preach and minister in the Church of the Holy Spirit on Sunday. Monday the team began the evangelism school at the church's rehabilitation center that was located in a flat. The room was very small for the 14 students and 7 trainers. All had to sit on cushions and boxes on the floor in the small living room. 13 of the 14 students prayed to receive eternal life on the first day.

The students were paired with 7 trainers and went to the surrounding housing and to several parks (including a skate park) on Tuesday, Wednesday, and twice on Thursday. 230 people



Masha's wedding ceremony



Cutting the wedding cake



Elena teaches the class



Len shares at park

were contacted, the Gospel was shared 130 times to 195 persons, and there were 87 professions and assurances of faith! (See Just the Facts on Pg. 6)

Pastor Guy and the 5 trainers from the Ivanovo area took an overnight train to return home. Len left on Saturday morning by plane to Moscow and then to the USA.

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8 skate boarders pray with Guy



St. Petersburg students and trainers



Natasha said "yes" to Jesus

ArtWalk

[JACKSONVILLE, FL] Each month the city of Jacksonville hosts the ArtWalk event where several blocks are restricted for use by various vendors and artists. Mr. Paul Shockey of the Burrito Gallery has extended space in their parking lot for the First Presbyterian Church to set up a tent. This space is used as a ministry outreach by Rev. Len Showalter and those that have been trained in evangelism. Typically there are 5 or 6 people that are sharing the Gospel out of the “*Free* Living Water” tent.

Each month the teams offer water, but look to share the Gospel with those that walk by the tent.

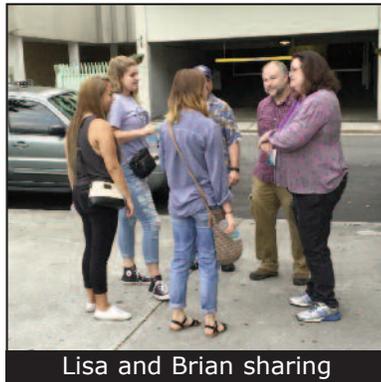
Typically, there are about 10 that profess Christ. The month of July was interesting, as it was very hot and those that walked by were fewer in number than usual. There was a group of three people that was divided up. Each one heard a personalized presentation of the Gospel. All three professed Christ!

Please contact Len or Len Ministries for training, or to participate in the monthly ArtWalk.

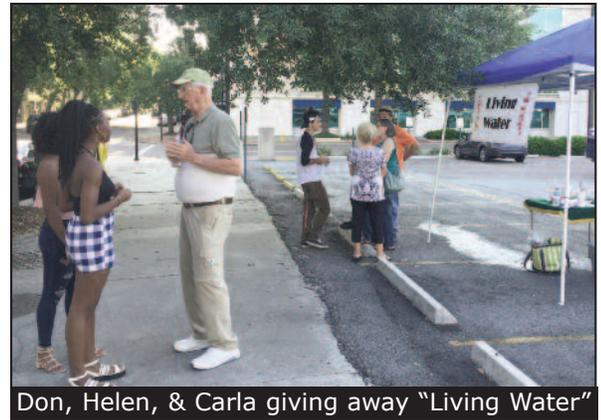
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Many hear Good News



Lisa and Brian sharing



Don, Helen, & Carla giving away “Living Water”

Kairos #80

[RAIFORD, FL] April 21 - 24, 2016, Rev. Len Showalter and 41 other men from the outside world went into Union Correctional Institution (UCI) for 4 days to minister to 42 inmates (picture below, intentionally blurred). Cookies, coffee, and tea were liberally served to the dry souls housed there. In addition, the Word of God was given through various teachings from laity and clergy. The

results were that of at least 10 men received salvation or assurance of their faith. The next opportunity to participate with the team going into prison will occur October 20 - 23, 2016, with prior weekly training required. Please contact Len Ministries if you or your church has an interest in joining the Kairos #81 team at UCI and serve according to Matthew 25:31-46.[LMI](#)



Inside & outside men

Just the Facts: **1** Evangelism

	Completed Contacts	Times Gospel Shared	To # of People	Professions & Assurances
Novosibirsk, Russia	495	226	309	133
Ivanovo, Russia	336	133	277	150
St. Petersburg, Russia	230	130	195	87
Totals:	1061	489	781	370

47% of those that heard the Gospel professed Jesus Christ as their Lord!

58 pastors and lay leaders were trained to share their faith and begin to equip others to win their communities for Christ!

**Wanna Go?
Spend a week,
change a nation.
Call Len.**



A Note From Marcia...

As you have read, the lives of people that we witnessed to were changed eternally! Seeds were planted, souls were saved, and even more importantly, pastors and leaders were trained to become soul winners for Jesus Christ. They can now begin training and teaching others.

When Pastor Guy, Cathy, Dianne, and I went into the temporary facility for the children in Ivanovo, we were able to share the Gospel with kids of all ages. These children came from broken and dysfunctional homes. Some will end up in orphanages. Some will go home after their mothers have been treated for alcohol and/or drug abuse.

We delivered 70+ pairs of "flip-flops" for the children, showed them pictures of our families and our pets, and allowed them to hold a few American coins. Many of the children received Jesus into their hearts. Your faithful prayers, financial gifts, and love made this possible.

Upon our return home, we had a celebration of Len's 70th birthday. Sara & Daryl came from Michigan, Ruth and

5-month old Quinn came from California (Ryan was unable to come), and Beth & Mike were also here. It was wonderful being with our children, our precious grand-baby, and friends. We are truly blessed!

Thank you for all you do for us.
Your missionaries,

***Len and Marcia Showalter
& Quinn Klamper***

Romans 10:13-17



Church News

The following churches continue their evangelism semesters. Please contact them for exact dates and times to participate and make a difference:

Anastasia Baptist Church

1650 A1A South
St. Augustine, FL 32080
(904) 471-2166
Contact: Al Kaidor

Church of the Messiah, CEC

3754 University Club Blvd.
Jacksonville, FL 32277
(904) 721-4199
Contact: Lon Pardee

First Presbyterian Church

118 E. Monroe Street
Jacksonville, FL 32202
(904) 354-8439
Contact: Robert Morris

Lake Asbury Baptist Church

2674 Henley Road
Lake Asbury, FL 32043
(904) 282-7079
Contact: Rick Wyman

Union Correctional Institution

7819 NE 228th Street
Raiford, FL 32026
(904) 992-0545
Contact: Len Showalter